



**PATENT**

Case Docket No. ABGENIX.030C1

Date: November 19, 2003

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Bar-Eli et al.  
App. No. : 10/660,357  
Filed : September 10, 2003  
For : USE OF ANTIBODIES AGAINST  
THE MUC18 ANTIGEN  
Examiner : Not Assigned  
Group Art Unit : Not Assigned

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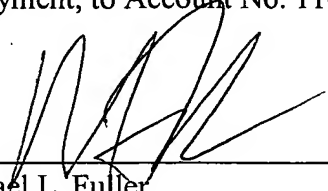
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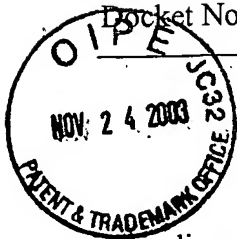
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	1.	Higuchi et al., Cyclic AMP Enhances the Expression of an Extravillous Trophoblast Marker, Melanoma Cell Adhesion Molecule, in Choriocarcinoma Cell JEG3 and Human Chorionic Villous Explant Cultures," <i>Molecular Human Reproduction</i> , 9: 359-366 (2003)

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